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The Honorable Ajit Pai, Chairman
The Honorable Michael O'Rielly, Commissioner
The Honorable Brendan Carr, Commissioner
The Honorable Jessica Rosenworcel, Commissioner

Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
455 12th Street
Southwest Washington, DC 20544

Re: Reply Comment MB Docket 05-311

Dear Chairman Pai,

I am in full support of the comments from the myriad cities and towns (especially small and rural towns), the small public access channels all over the country, and the individuals who express valid concern over the potential loss of access to the public processes of government. C-NET Comments (<https://www.fcc.gov/ecfs/filing/110588750975>) are an apt example of just one community's potential loss. Newspapers and network and cable broadcasters cannot possibly disseminate the ongoing discourse taking place at town meetings, selectboard meetings, and schoolboard meetings in towns throughout the nation. In a time when newspapers are shrinking, we must try to maintain an informed electorate.

Further I support comments opposed to the unfettered expansion granted to cable companies for noncable uses of rights of way. The City of Desert Hot Springs, California describes the concern plainly, beginning at the bottom of page two of their comments (<https://www.fcc.gov/ecfs/filing/110695118173>).

I also support comments such as those submitted by Cable Act Preservation Alliance (*Alliance for Communications Democracy, et al.*, <https://www.fcc.gov/ecfs/filing/1114050901562>), that disapprove of the proposals and tentative conclusions set forth in the FCC's September 25 Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making in Implementation of Section 621(a)(1) of the Cable Communications Policy Act of 1984 as Amended by the Cable Television Consumer Protection and Competition Act of 1992, MB Docket 05-311.

I appreciate the opportunity to comment.

Sincerely,

/s/ Deborah K. Williams

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